

State Health Plan Prevention Partners Employee Insurance Program

Mission

The mission of The State Health Plan Prevention Partners is to provide activities, programs and services that encourage health promotion, disease prevention and early detection of disease in South Carolina's state agencies, public schools and local subdivisions.

Program Goal

The goals of The State Health Plan Prevention Partners are to increase the knowledge of state employees about health promotion and education topics, to increase the number of state employees who practice healthy lifestyle behaviors and to encourage the practice of early detection of disease. These goals are accomplished through program objectives in the areas of health promotion, disease prevention, early detection of disease and demand management.

National Health Observances -- May is...

Asthma and Allergy Awareness Month. Allergy and Asthma Network, 2751 Prosperity Avenue, Suite 150, Fairfax, VA 22031-4397. (800) 878-4403. Web site: www.aanma.org

Hepatitis Awareness Month. Hepatitis Foundation International, 30 Sunrise Terrace, Cedar Grove, NJ 07009. (800) 891-0707. Web site: www.hepfi.org

National High Blood Pressure Education Month. National Heart, Lung and Blood Institute Information Center, P.O. Box 30105, Bethesda, MD 20824-0105. (301) 592-8573. Web site: www.nhlbi.nih.gov

Prevention Partners Stroke Workshop. May 13, 2003 in Columbia, SC. Contact Prevention Partners at (803) 737-3820. Web site: www.eip.state.sc.us

The State Health Plan Preventive Worksite Regional Screening. May 15, 2002 in Spartanburg, SC. Contact Prevention Partners at (803) 737-3820. Web site: www.eip.state.sc.us

National Employee Health and Fitness Day. National Association for Health and Fitness, 401 W. Michigan Street, Indianapolis, IN 46202, (317) 955-0957. Web site: www.physicalfitness.org